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1. WITH REFERENCE TO PARA 2 REFTTEL A, IT WOULD APPEAR THAT GOI IS WELL AWARE OF THE NATURE OF THE "PROVISIONAL REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT" AND ITS EFFORTS TO GAIN LEGITIMACY (E.G. TEHRAN 5728, NOTAL). HOWEVER, IF NO OBJECTION PERCEIVED AND IF EMBASSY HAS NOT ALREADY DONE SO, IT WOULD PROBABLY BE USEFUL TO PROVIDE MFA WITH BACKGROUND INFORMATION (DRAWING ON REFS B, C, AND D AS APPROPRIATE) ON STATUS OF THE PRG AND VARIOUS PRG PLOYS TO GAIN RECOGNITION AND ENHANCED LEGITIMACY. WE WOULD NOTE INCIDENTALLY THAT PRG "EMBASSIES" IN CERTAIN CAPITALS ARE NO MORE TO BE CONSIDERED "REGULAR DIPLOMATIC OFFICES" THAN ITS PARIS INFORMATION OFFICE. RUSH
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